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SUBJ: KRIT SIWARA AND COMPANY TO VISIT BURMA AND INDONESIA

1. INDONESIAN MINISTER CHAIRUL TARUMAPUTRA CALLED ON THE DCM FEBRUARY 4. CHAIRUL REVEALED THAT GENERAL KRIT SIWARA, WITH THREE OTHER TOP MILITARY OFFICERS IN TOW, WILL COMPLETE THE SOUTHEAST ASIAN TOUR THAT HE BEGAN IN EARLY JANUARY. HE WILL VISIT BURMA AND INDONESIA DURING THE THIRD WEEK OF FEBRUARY. ADMIRAL SA-NGAT CHALOYU, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE ROYAL THAI NAVY; AIR CHIEF MARSHAL KAMON DECHATHUNGKA, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE ROYAL THAI AIR FORCE; AND GENERAL KRIANGSAK CHAMANAN, CHIEF OF STAFF OF SUPREME COMMAND, WILL ACCOMPANY KRIT.

2. FYI: RIOTS IN RANGOON CANCELLED THE BURMA VISIT KIRT HAD PLANNED FOR LATE DECEMBER, THE INDONESIANS HAD TOLD HIM THAT A VISIT AROUND CHRISTMAS WOULD NOT BE CONVENIENT, AND THE UN-EXPECTED RETURN OF FIELD MARSHAL THANOM KITTIKHACHON CUT SHORT HIS VISIT TO THE PHILIPPINES. ALL WENT WELL IN MALAYSIA AND SINGAPORE.

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3. CHAIRUL INQUIRED ABOUT KRIT'S INFLUENCE IN THAILAND. THE

DCM SAID HE HAD PLENTY.
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